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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of :
Arthur J. ROTH et al. : Examiner: Unassigned
U.S. Application No.: 10/511,163 : Group Art Unit: Unassigned
Int'l Application No.: PCT/US03/12281 :
Int'l Filing Date: April 21, 2003 :
For: COMPOSITE STRUCTURAL MATERIAL AND METHOD OF MAKING SAME : January 18, 2006

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REQUEST FOR RECONSIDERATION OF DECISION ON RESPONSE

Sir:

Applicants request reconsideration of the Decision on Response mailed on December 19, 2005, in view of the following remarks.

The Decision notifies Applicants that they must submit a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 and pay a \$400 petition fee because the Transmittal Letter (Form PTO-1390) that

Applicants filed on October 14, 2005, contained a typographical error. The application number was listed as 10511163, when it should have read 10511163.

Application No. as PCT/US03/17281, when it should have read PCT/US03/12281.

Applicants do not dispute this error; however, Applicants point out that they correctly identified the international application number in other papers that they submitted with

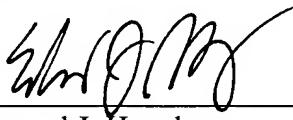
the Transmittal Letter. Those other papers include an Application Data Sheet containing a claim to priority based on PCT/US03/12281, and a Preliminary Amendment in which Applicants amended the specification to include a specific reference to PCT/US03/12281.

Accordingly, Applicants submit that they did correctly identify the international application number in the national-stage papers filed on October 14, 2004. Therefore, Applicants respectfully request reconsideration and withdrawal of the Decision requiring the submission of a petition under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 and payment of the \$400 petition fee in order to continue prosecution of the subject application.

Alternatively, in the event this Request for Reconsideration is DENIED, Applicants are submitting herewith a Petition Under 37 C.F.R. § 1.182 and a corrected Transmittal Letter, along with authorization to charge the required petition fee to Deposit Account No. 06-1205.

Applicants' undersigned attorney can be reached in the Washington, D.C. office of Fitzpatrick, Cella, Harper & Scinto by telephone at (202) 530-1010. All correspondence should continue to be directed to our address given below.

Respectfully submitted,



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